AMN HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMN HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC [AHS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 WEST STREET		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/19/2011	DirectorX 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person		
NEW YORK, NY 10282				_X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit our Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/19/2011		S	20,450	D	\$ 8.2111 (4)	2,303,932	I	See footnotes (1) (2) (3) (4)
Common Stock	07/20/2011		S	12,636	D	\$ 8.1523	2,291,296	I	See footnotes (1) (2) (3) (5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/		Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	ying ies	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282		X					
GOLDMAN SACHS & CO 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282		X					
GSUIG, L.L.C. 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282		X					
Signatures							
/s/ Kevin P. Treanor, Attorney-in-fact	07.	/21/2011					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					
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/s/ Kevin P. Treanor, 07/21/2011 Attorney-in-fact **Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Kevin P. Treanor, 07/21/2011 Attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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- Goldman Sachs beneficially owns directly, and GS Group may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly, 28,184 shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Common Stock"), of AMN Healthcare Services, Inc. (the "Company"). As of July 20, 2011, Goldman Sachs and GS Group may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly 2,258,535 shares of Common Stock by reason of the direct beneficial ownership of such shares by GSUIG. GS Group is the sole member of GSUIG and Goldman Sachs serves as the investment manager for GSUIG. GS Group also beneficially owns directly 2,071 shares of Common Stock. Goldman Sachs also holds open short positions of 365,889 shares of Common Stock.
- GS Group may be deemed to beneficially own 2,506 shares of Common Stock held by Martin Chavez, a former managing director of Goldman Sachs and a former director of the Company, as a result of Mr. Chavez's exercise of Stock Appreciation Rights that were granted to him in his capacity as a director of the Company. Mr. Chavez has an understanding with GS Group pursuant to which such shares are held for the sole benefit of GS Group.
- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$8.2111 per share, at prices ranging from \$8.15 to \$8.29 per share. Upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided.
- Reflects a weighted average sale price of \$8.1523 per share, at prices ranging from \$8.04 to \$8.23 per share. Upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided.

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